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SUBJECT: CALTEX PROBLEMS IN INDIA

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1. I HAVE TALKED WITH LEVENHAGEN THIS MORNING 15TH HE UNDERSTANDS THE PROBLEM AND WILL BE GETTING IN TOUCH WITH CALTEX NEW YORK IN ORDER TO DETERMINE WHETHER CALTEX WANTS THE EMBASSY TO TALK TO THE GOI ABOUT THE CALTEX SITUATION. HE WILL THEN GET IN TOUCH WITH US. I MADE IT QUITE CLEAR THAT EMBASSY WOULD BE HAPPY TO TALK TO GOI ABOUT CALTEX, BUT WISHES TO KNOW WHETHER THIS IS WHAT CALTEX WANTS. I ADDED THAT IN ORDER DO SO EMBASSY WOULD NEED NECESSARY DATA WHICH LEVENHAGEN INDICATED HE WOULD PROVIDE IN CONVERSATION WITH AMBASSADOR AUG 7 (DELHI'S 10583).

2. LEVENHAGEN CONFIRMS THAT HE IS NOT SEEKING DIRECT EMBASSY INTERVENTION AT THIS TIME AND HAS NOT ENVISAGED AT ANY POINT ANYTHING MORE THAN A POSSIBLE INFORMAL AND GENERAL EXPRESSION OF CONCERN IN EVENT APPROPRIATE OPPORTUNITY PRESENTED ITSELF AT DINNER, OR IN MEETING WITH GOI OFFICIALS ON OTHER MATTERS ETC. HE WILL, HOWEVER, SEEK PIN DOWN VIEWS HIS HEADQUARTERS AND THEN COME BACK TO US.

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